

# Gserpa language

**Gserpa** (Wylie: *gser pa*) is an eastern Tibetic language of Sichuan. It is spoken by a few hundred or thousand people in Sêrba (Tibetan: རྩେ་རྔ་; Wylie: gser pa; Tibetan pinyin: Sêrba; Chinese: 色尔坝; pinyin: Sè'ěrbà) District, Sêrtar County, Sichuan, China and is different from the Amdo Tibetan language, the dominant Tibetan language in the surrounding region.<sup>[1][2]</sup>

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<b>Gserpa</b>	
<b>Native to</b>	China
<b>Region</b>	Sichuan
<b>Native speakers</b>	ca. 1000? (2005) <sup>[1]</sup>
<b>Language family</b>	Sino-Tibetan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Tibeto-Kanauri ?</li> <li>▪ Bodish</li> <li>▪ Tibetic</li> <li>▪ <b>Gserpa</b></li> </ul>
<b>Language codes</b>	
<b>ISO 639-3</b>	None (mis)
<b>Glottolog</b>	None

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